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YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO A LUNCHEON OF LOVE, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16

This luncheon is being hosted the Annunciation Cathedral, through the efforts of the Sunday Bible Study, to raise funds for the completion of the monastery housing at the Monastery of the Living Spring in Dunlap, CA. It will follow the Orthros and the Divine Liturgy, which will be attended by Abbess Markella and Sister Fevronia, the founding nuns of the monastery, who are our guests of honor for the event. This visit is an important one inasmuch Annunciation was the first church they visited when they were brought here a few years ago by His Eminence Metropolitan Anthony to start the monastery. At that time, you will recall, we had already lost the Cathedral and were temporarily housed in the old Bausch and Lomb building.

Every parish in our Diocese has been asked by His Eminence to help raise \$25,000 to complete the living quarters at the monastery. Located adjacent the beautiful church there, nearing completion, the new living

quarters will be able to accommodate close to fifty sisters. The existing quarters, a converted house, barely meets the needs of the ten nuns who reside there. Annunciation Cathedral wishes to do its part in this effort, not just to provide for housing for the nuns but, more importantly, to support monasticism as it takes root in our country. (Incidentally, the \$25,000 will enable one of the nuns' cells to be named for the Annunciation Cathedral.) course, the modest donations for the luncheon itself will not raise the money needed. A number of individuals from our parish may wish to make a separate contribution for this purpose. Together, we are confident we will be able to meet His Eminence's expectation of us.

Please mark your calendars for the December 16th event. We wish to have a good showing and for this to be as successful as the most successful of the Cathedral's events. The donation for the luncheon is \$20 for asdults, \$10 for children. To reserve a table, please call the Cathedral at 415 864-8000.

NEW YEAR'S AT THE CATHEDRAL: HOORAY FOR HOLLYWOOD

By now, you have all received an invitation to this year's New Year's Gala at the Cathedral. We hope you are planning to be with us December 31st to welcome 2002 in style. Patty and Nick Rally, our chairs for the New Year's Eve event, have planned a memorable evening, with the theme Hooray for Hollywood. We encourage you to complete and return your reservation cards at your earliest convenience. The festivities begin with hors d'oeuvres in the courtyard, tented

especially for New Year's, followed by a sit-down dinner and buffet dessert and coffee table, all being prepared by Stella's Catering (Yvonne and John), Vasilopita and champagne at midnight, and dancing throughout the evening. And all at an affordable price to enable young and old alike to take part in the festivities. The complete package price is only \$85 per person, which includes dinner. There is also a special price of \$40 for youth, who are welcome to come for dancing, after 10 p.m.

Go ahead, then, and finalize your New Year's plans. For additional information, please call the Cathedral at 415 864-8000.

P.A.O.I. LIBRARY TWELVE RUN FOR PARISH COUNCIL; ELECTIONS DEC. 16

Parish Council elections will take place on Sunday, December 16, following the Divine Liturgy and through the luncheon which will be held to benefit the Monastery of the Living Spring housing. Twelve parishioners were nominated at the November 4, 2001 Parish Assembly. These have agreed to run for one of the eight openings on the Parish Council. They will be elected to a two-year term, beginning January 1, 2002.

Following ratification of the elections by Mertropolitan Anthony, the eight new members will take their oath of office following the Divine Liturgy on Sunday, December 30, and convene immediately following to elect their officers for 2002. The candidates are: Chrisula Asimos, Michael Bagatelos, Matthew Boosalis, James Dariotes, Nick Kontonis, Dina Koutoulas, Justin Kyriacou, Tom Nuris, Nick Stathopoulos, Nick Svetcoff, Gus Vouchilas and Brett Williamson.

Meanwhile, the following were elected on November 4 to comprise the Board of Elections for the December 16th elections. They are:

Anthony Ambus, John Bardis,
Tatiana Kyriakides, George Mattis and Sia Sooklaris.

Finally, at the November 4 Parish Assembly, the following were elected to comprise the Board of Auditors, charged with the responsibility of auditing the Cathedral's 2001 financial records as well as its current financial records.

These are: Robert Larson and Mario Stathopoulos.

STEWARDSHIP 2002: OUR CHURCH... A WISE INVESTMENT; KICKOFF ON JANUARY 6

We have always said: Our Church...A Wise Investment. And you, our parishioners, have responded generously. You sense the importance of the church, especially in these times, and our need to support it. Consequently, the Cathedral is ending the 2001 year slightly in the black, assuming all outstanding balances are sent in by December 31st, and is poised to begin our 2002 Stewardship Campaign, which begins on Epiphany Sunday, January 6. Anticipating a large crowd that Sunday, with Epiphany and the Vasilopita (cutting of the St. Basil's bread) following, our Stewardship Committee will have Stewardship Pledge Cards out and available for you. You are encouraged to complete your card that day, place it in the envelope provided, and hand it back to the Stewardship Committee. This will save you and the church the cost of mailing the pledge cards. Pledge cards will be mailed out to those who are not able to come to church on January 6.

EVERYTHING IS A GIFT FROM GOD: ESTABLISHING YOUR 2002 STEWARDSHIP

In his final prayer to God at the time of his death, King David said, "Everything in heaven and earth is yours...all riches and wealth come from you. Now, our God, we give you thanks and we praise your glorious name. Yet my people and I cannot give you anything, because everything is a gift from you, and we have only given back what is yours already." (I Chronicles 29.11-14)

When we make our Stewardship Commitment, we should remember that we have not given God something which belongs to us and for which God should be grateful. Rather, we are the ones who should be thankful, for the bountiful gifts with which God has blessed us. Stewardship, then, is a kind of thank offering, and it enables the Church to continue to

serve. It is our faith put into action.

We give, therefore, not because God needs it, but because we need to. Like David, we give back what is God's in the first place. No wonder, then, the most sacred part of the Liturgy is when we offer back the bread and the wine, "in all, and for all."

CRAB FEED 2002: AN ENDURING TRADITION

The Cathedral's 2002 Crab Feed, our 20th, always a sell-out event, will take place on Friday, January 25. No-host refreshments will be served, beginning at 6 p.m. Dinner will follow, at 7:30 p.m. Co-chairs for the event are Charlotte Derdevanis and Teia Nuris. The admission is \$35 and reservations will be secured only by receipt of payment. Tickets must be paid for by January 18 and will be held at the door. Because of space limitations and the constraints of on-site parking, the Crab Feed will be limited to 600, on a firstcome, first served basis. Valet parking will be available. To make your reservations, please call Anna Dricos at 415 647-3853 or Ackie Argyres at 415 751-2180. The event is sponsored by the Cathedral Philoptochos and checks should be made payable Annunciation Philoptochos. For additional information, please call the Cathedral office at 415 864-8000.

2002: THE ARCHDIOCESE BIENNIAL CLERGY-LAITY

As previously announced in the Herald, the Diocese of San Francisco will host the 2002 Clergy-Laity Congress in Los Angeles at the Westin Bonaventure Hotel, June 30-July 4. Since this will officially be the first Clergy-Laity Congress of the new millennium, His Eminence Metropolitan Anthony states, "we will attempt to set the tone for future Congresses in the 21st century. Our hope is to create a new paradigm for the Clergy-Laity Congress, seeking to recapture something of the freshness and vitality of earlier Congresses, while at the same time remaining faithful to the innovative and pioneering spirit which has always characterized the western fron

tier of this great nation."

The theme selected for the 2002 Clergy-Laity Congress is "Offering our Orthodox Faith to Contemporary America." His Eminence urges all of us to strive towards full participation in this Congress, and invites us to visit the official Clergy-Laity website: www.clergylaity.org. Annunciation Cathedral delegates to the Congress will be elected at our spring, 2002, Parish Assembly.

NEW RANCH DIRECTOR APPOINTED

His Eminence Metropolitan Anthony has announced the appointment of Fr. Paul Schroeder as Director of St. Nicholas Ranch and Retreat Center, effective December 1, 2001. Fr. Paul, who was ordained to the priest-hood on October 26, 2001, served for the past two-and-a-half years as Deacon and assistant to Metropolitan Anthony.

Fr. Paul is married to Presvytera Elizabeth, who grew up in Reedley, California, just a few miles from the Ranch. They have two children, Carissa (7) and Zachary (4).

NEXT ORTHODOX MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Need a gift for your spouse for Christmas, Valentine's Day, birthday or anniversary? Treat your marriage to an Orthodox Marriage Encounter Weekend. This special Weekend is February 1, 2 and 3 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Milpitas. An OME Weekend is designed to make a good marriage better. A Weekend consists of short presentations given by an Orthodox clergy and lay presenting team. Time to discuss the information is then scheduled for the privacy of your room.

If you wish further information, please contact Fr. Jim and Presbytera Pappas at 559 454-1243 or Tim and Krisi Gong at tandkgong@prodigy.net. For registration information, call Bud and Marcia Taylor at 559 439-8605.

A MOST SUCCESSFUL "Spanning the Decades" EVENT

On October 27,2001, the Annunciation Cathedral community presented a very successful, fun and different type of annual dinner dance with the theme "Spanning the Decades", honoring our Dean, Father Stephen Kyriacou's 55th Birthday (although Father Steve maintains that he is really 27), with the proceeds of \$16,000 benefiting the Annunciation Cathedral Building Fund. The event theme was reminiscent of the fun and nostalgic decades of the 40s, 50s, 60s and 70s. The community center was decked out with various artifacts from those periods including grand piano, an 8-foot jukebox, and colorful reminders from those periods. Famous intersection street signs were built by Phil Chiappari.

350 people attended this fun event, including Father Tom Paris from Ascension Cathedral, and Father Gregory, the retired priest from St. Nicholas Syrian Church who assists Father Stephen at times.

The evening started with a moving invocation by the three clergy. Then the choir led by Athena Tsougarakis led the community in a beautiful rendition of "God Bless America". As we sat down to a scrumptious dinner, we were visited by two world famous guests who were revived for the event, Elvis Presley and Marilyn Monroe. They entertained the guests by singing their famous tunes and interacting with the guests. It was quite a sight to see the clergy displaying their dance talents from previous decades and all three proved they still had what it takes.

Then Tatiana Kyriakides, on her 50's skates brought out Father Stephen's lit birthday cake to an invigorating rendition of "Happy Birthday Father Stephen" by Elvis and Marilyn who were joined in the singing by the evening's guests. Elvis continued to sing to the gathering while Marilyn visited guests at the tables and sang to several guests including the community's senior statesman, who Marilyn dubbed as "Mayor Peter Tamaras" for his 20 years of service as member and President of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors.

Short presentations were

made by Parish Council President Patty Aleck communicating the community's good wishes, sons Chris and Justin Kyriacou providing us with an insight into "Life with Father", blessings from fellow clergy Father Tom and Father Gregory, and Jim and Louise Vorrises, Co-chairs who presented Father Stephen with a modest gift on behalf of the entire Annunciation Cathedral Community, family, and guests, with a \$1,000 certificate to use to visit Rome, the Vatican, and the Pope, at a time of his choosing. The honoree, Father Stephen Kyriacou, was very appreciative and gave an inspiring response.

Adult guests had a choice of a New York steak, salmon or chicken complete dinner, with a Mel's type of cheeseburger for the children. Dance music from the various decades was provided by DJ "Swinging Affair". During the DJ's break, a contest was conducted to choose the most authentically dressed persons for each decade and awarding each a certificate and a small gift. The guests voted by clapping. The winners were Louise Vorrises who was dressed in an exquisite rendition of "Cher" for the 70's award. There was a very close 60's race between Ray Piccinini who was a very "hip" 60's hippie who edged out, after two votes, and Marie Vorrises who was an even better "Marilyn Monroe" than the one from the talent agency. Tatiana Kyriakides won the 50s award as a Mel's Drive-in Hostess. Vasilogiorgis won as a very appealing "Mae West". Mike Bagatelos and Connie Panagotacos-White tied for the 20's award. It was a difficult competition because there were many other contestants who were also great candidates.

There are many people to thank who labored for this event. I thank my lovely co-chair and wife Louise Vorrises; Advisor Patty Aleck; Reservations Chair George Mattis for his hard work; Dinner Chair & Master Chef Ted Leventis for an excellent meal; Decorations Chair Mariam Arsinoos for the great nostalgic look; Tessie Obester for set-up; Facilities Chair, Mike Canellos; Invitations Chair Rose Kamages-Hunter; Entertainment Chair Foula Vasiologiorges; Event Photographer John Sooklaris; John and Yvonne Stamatakis for their work, hors douvres, and dessert; Patty and Nick

Rally for the ice cream parlor; Set-up Committee Annette & Phil Chiappari, Louise, Marie & Stephanie Vorrises, Presbytera Aliki Kyriacou, Eleni Tsagaris, Athena Stavrakaris, Peter Bratis, Emily Bagatelos, Rose Sogotis, Nan Shear, Nick Fournaris, Angie Kitchen Committee Mathew Boosalis, Sakee Poulakides, John Panomitros; Bar Chair Jim Dariotes and George Vorrises, George Ambus, Peter Vorrises, Bagatelos; Printed Material Ari Stratakis & Productive Printing; By Wineries, Stella Pies, Annunciation Cathedral Philoptochos & Sunday Schools. Over 50 individuals made generous monetary contributions and are being acknowledged by individual letter.

In conclusion, a big THANK YOU to everyone who participated in any way. Annunciation Cathedral is known as the fun community.

Jim Vorrises, Event Chair & Parish Council Vice President

ORTHODOX COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE

On December 27-31, 2001, St. Nicholas Ranch and Retreat Center will proudly host the first-ever Orthodox College and Young Adult Conference on the west coast. An east coast conference will be held concurrently at Antiochian Village in Bolivar, Pennsylvania.

Sponsored by the SCOBA Campus Commission, these conferences are open to college students, high school graduates, and young adults. Both conferences will include a variety of enlightening workshops, daily services and many different social events.

These National Conferences of the Orthodox Christian Fellowship aim to promote unity among Orthodox young people and to renew them in their individual journeys to salvation. The keynote speaker for the conference will be Fr. Jon Braun, an author and very popular speaker on college campuses across the country.

The registration cost is \$150. For more information, please contact Natalie Kulukundis at the Orthodox Christian Fellowship Office: (510) 704-8981.

FOCUS ON YOUTH

GETTING GOING ON GOYA

As father Stephen stated during the recent Parish Assembly, two of our top priorities, which require our immediate attention, are 1. building our church and 2. gathering our youth. "Gathering our youth" means developing more programs for them, involving them more in the life of the Church, getting them to know Christ our Savior, nurturing their spiritual formation and, at the same time, getting them to appreciate the heritage which is uniquely ours. We have been rather successful at developing basketball programs (we now have 12 teams), and dance groups (we have 3 of them). We have been successful also in developing a Young Adults program, a JOY program for those twelve years of age and under and even a summer camp program.

However, we lack a viable, strong GOYA. Toward this end, several adult leaders and GOYA leaders, together with GOYA's president, met to chart a course for GOYA so that it will emerge as a strong organization once again. You

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

October brought many more children to Sunday School. We now have over 100 students registered. Parents: please remember that Sunday School begins at 10:30 a.m. sharp. Please be prompt! We have only one hour a week with the children. October was a month of "getting back to basics. Each teacher has addressed the following and it is our hope to get reinforcement from home.

1. Dress to come to church. "Dress for God." (Jeans, shorts, tennis shoes with roller skates, are not appropriate as well as skooters, skate boards and the like. These are no-nos.) Now that our Sunday School is in full swing, with another record enrollment of over 100 children, we are reminding students and parents of certain no-nos.)

2. Come to Sunday School often. Make Church and God, through his Church, a priority in your life.

3. Understand what is taking place during the Divine Liturgy and especially when receiving communion. (We do not chew gum; we do not throw away any portion of the *antidhoron* or blessed bread that we take after receiving Holy Communion and at the end of the Liturgy.)

4. Treat Church like your home. Ask, "Would I do this in my home?"

November was a month of thanks. Many of the lower grades spent 2-3 weeks on Creation. After learning what God made, discussions on being thankful and giving thanks took place. Sunday School sponsors the Food Drive from November 18th to December 14th, to help children who are less fortunate. All donations will go to the San Francisco Food Bank. On November 18 the Food Bank made a special presentation to our older students, grades 5 through 8, so that they may understand and have compassion for the hungry. We hope the entire community will get involved and participate in this worthwhile endeavor.

will be hearing a lot more about GOYA as our 13 to 18 year olds regroup.

TIME FOR BASKETBALL

Attention, youth. The time for Annunciation Basketball sign-up is now! All Boys and Girls ages 8 through 14 are invited to sign up to play basketball for Annunciation. Practice has already begun and will continue every Wednesday evening, throughout the season, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Parents and players are advised NOT to come before 6 p.m., since other events are going on. So, boys and girls, do your home work, have dinner with your families, and come down to the Cathedral as close to 6:30 p.m. as you wish (but not before 6).

You may return a registration form which has been provided, indicating your name, age, date of birth, address, and phone number, or you may call **Mike Canellos** at 415 864-8815.

December brings us wonderful lessons on the birth of Jesus and on angels. For those wishing to get support materials for home, please see **Mrs. Vellis**. Sunday School has a vast collection of pencils, coloring books, story books and icons for children to remind us all that "Jesus is the reason" for celebrating christmas. For your convenience, we will have a booth to sell Sunday School-related materials on Sunday, December 2.

That having been said, we wish to commend the children who drew pictures or wrote letters to the children of the St. Nicholas Church in New York City that was destroyed as a result of the September 11th attack on the World Trade Center. Portions of some of the letters were printed in the last issue of the Herald. All of these were forwarded to the children of St. Nicholas, along with a cover letter, through His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios. We reprint another letter, which captures the sentiments of all of us, especially the Cathedral's children. We hope you find it as uplifting as we did:

"Dear Friends,

Hello; my name is Stefani Kalligeros, and I am in the eighth grade. I live in San Francisco and go to a Greek Orthodox Church called Annunciation Cathedral. I am very sorry about the tragedy, which happened to your parents, relatives and/or friends. Every time I pray, I pray for you and your families. I really hope that we can learn to get over our fears, and learn to live in peace. Throughout all the churches in the all the world, people are thinking of you, and keeping you in our prayers. With much love,"

From the teachers of the Sunday School: We wish each and every one a blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year. There will be no classes either on December 23rd or on December 30th. This is a great time for the entire family to worship together during the Divine Liturgy.

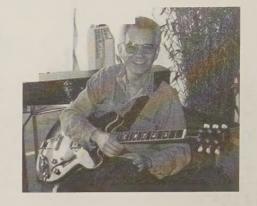
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THE ANNUNCIATION CATHEDRAL PRESENTS THE 2001 New Year's Eve Gala

Hooray for Hollywood

Join us for a night to remember and a taste of the "Hollywood" Experience

A Four Course Dinner prepared by Chefs
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December 31, 2001 7:00 p.m. 245 Valencia Street, San Francisco

\$85 PER PERSON (INCLUDES VALET PARKING)
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Please call the Annunciation Cathedral office to make your reservations by phone at 415.864.8000

PHILOPTOCHOS NEWS

The two year term with new officers started in September with great enthusiasm. The dedicated and tireless women of the Philoptochos Society were able to prepare makareas for six departed souls from our community within one month. We received endless compliments for the food and also for the presentation.

The Annunciation Cathedral Philoptochos Society is now on the INTERNET. Jim Lucas constructed our web site which is WWW.ANNUNCIAlinked to TION.ORG. Please take time to look at our web page which articles includes about Philoptochos and our schedule of events for the remainder of 2001 and all of 2002. In addition, you can print a form to become a member of the Philoptochos. Philoptochos thanks Jim for taking time from his busy schedule to construct our web page. He did an outstanding job!

The Philoptochos is joining the Parish Council for the preparation of the Christmas Brunch to be held on Sunday, December 2, 2001. We look forward to seeing all of you at this wonderful affair.

In the year 2002, we have many events scheduled. funds we raise from these events will be earmarked for philanthropy and also for any special needs our Church may have. One event which I hope will be of great interest to all women of our community is a Tea for New Members which is scheduled on Sunday, February 24, 2002 after services. We sincerely hope that the young women in our community will make an effort to attend since they are the ones who will eventually inherit the wonderful work we do.

Many thanks to everyone in the community that supports the great work Philoptochos is doing and many thanks to all the women and men that never say no whenever I need their help in the kitchen or any other type of assistance or guidance. Kudos to Father Stephen for providing the spiritual guidance that we need.

Angie Leventis President

TIME FOR ANGEL TREE GIFTS

The Philoptochos, with Nan Cusulos in charge, is once again collecting gifts, this time for the children of City Crossroads located not too far from the Cathedral. City Crossroads is a non-profit, public benefit corporation with a ministry to multi-ethnic youth and low income families in the inner city.

Starting December 2nd, names and ages will be placed on tags that can be taken from the Christmas tree for the purpose of purchasing an age and gender appropriate gift for the holidays. The gifts must be turned in by December 16th so they can be distributed before Christmas.

This year, monetary donations will also be accepted for items which are already selected.

In our community, for the most part, we are all blessed with homes, family, and all the things we desire. This is our opportunity to give something back to the community in general in return for our blessings.

Please take a few moments of your holiday preparation time to help others who are not as blessed.

AND SERVICES AT THE CATHEDRAL

BAPTISMS

John Thomas, son of Thomas and Catherine Makras King, who was born February 4, 2001, was baptized October 14. His sponsor was Sophia Makras.

Steven James, son of James and Paula Miller Chiappari, who was born April 28, 2001, was baptized October 28. His sponsor was Christine Chiappari.

Gabriel, son of Sally Ann Holland and Demece Garepis, who was born February 11, 2000, was baptized October 28. His sponsor was Mary Mitchel.

Panayiota Irene, daughter of Constantine and Grace Monti Koutoulas, who was born March 7, 2001, was baptized November 10. His sponsor was Kosta P. Koutoulas.

Theodore Maxfield, son of Richard and Frances Anagnost Williams, who was born July 30, 2001, was baptized November 18. His sponsors wre Demetri Lagios and Donna Boves Cook.

Na mas zisoun!

MARRIAGES

The marriage of Panos Gus Lekas and Thuyen Julie Pho was blessed on October 6, 2001. Their sponsor was George Bezaitis.

The marriage of Thomas Christos Mavrakakis and Mary Daphne Tsagaris was blessed on October 7, 2001. Their sponsor was Constantine Salmas.

The marriage of Chris Kameel Deeb and Kalliopi Kountouris was blessed on November 17. Their sponsor was Carrie Zaracotas.

Na mas zisoun!

FUNERALS

Vivian (Velissaratos) Vellis, who died September 30, was buried on October 4. She is survived by her son, Andrew Vellis.

Helen Cordellos, who died September 30, was buried on October 5. She is survived by her children, Joanne and John.

Amelia Antonopoulos, who died October 10, was buried on October 15. She is survived by her daughter, Loula Vriheas.

George Parson, who died October 13, was buried on October 17. He is survived by his grandson Chris S. Fragakis.

Services for Katherine Douglas, who died on October 28, were held November 1. She is survived by her sister, Kaliope Fotenos.

Beulah Kassimos, who died November 13, was buried November 19. She is survived by her son, Tom Kassimos.

Services for Nicholas Bakowsky, who died on November 13, were held November 20. He is survived by his father, Stephen Bakowsky.

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December 2001

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Sunday	17.4.2	Liturgy - 10:30 Sunday School - 10:30 PRE-XMAS BRUNCH -Sunday School Sale	Liturgy - 10:30 Sunday School - 10:30	Liturgy - 10:30 Sunday School - 10:30 LUNCHEON OF LOVE Parish Council Elections	Liturgy - 10:30	Liturgy - 10:30 Parish Coucil Swear-in

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CARD

INTHOSE DAYS A DE-CREE WENT OUT FROM CAESAR AU-GUSTUS THAT ALL THE WORLD SHOULD BE EN-ROLLED. THIS WAS THE FIRST ENROLLMENT WHEN QUIRINIUS WAS GOVERNOR OF SYRIA AND ALL WENT TO BE ENROLLED, EACH TO HIS OWN CITY. AND JOSEPH ALSO WENT UP GROM GALILEE, FROM THE CITY OF DAVID WHICH IS CALLED BE-THLEHEM, BECAUSE HE WAS OF THE HOUSE AND LINE-AGE OF DAVID, TO BE ENROLLED WITH MARY HIS BETRO-THED, WHO WAS WITH CHILD. AND WHILE THEY WERE THERE, THE TIME CAME FOR HER TO BE DELIVERED, AND SHE GAVE BIRTH TO HER FIRST BORN SON, AND WRAPPED HIM IN SWADDLING CLOTHS, AND LAID HIM IN A MANGER, BECAUSE THERE WAS NO PLACE FOR THEM

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Deadline -- December 2, 2001

Please fill in the blank line and return the lower part of this page to the Cathedral office along with your donation of \$20.

EVENTS TO REMEMBER

<u>December 2</u> Christmas Brunch

<u>December 16</u> Luncheon of Love

<u>December 31</u> New Year's Eve Gala "Hooray for Hollywood"

<u>January 6</u> Stewardship 2002 Kickoff Vasilopita

> January 25th Crab Feed

<u>February 3rd</u> JOY SuperBowl Party

<u>First Sunday Each Month</u> Sunday Brunch



BLESSINGS
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